

United States Department of Agriculture

BUREAU OF ANIMAL INDUSTRY

AMENDMENT 1 TO B. A. I. ORDER 352. REGULATIONS GOVERNING THE IMPORTATION OF DOMESTIC LIVESTOCK AND OTHER ANIMALS INTO THE UNITED STATES FROM ALL COUNTRIES EXCEPT MEXICO¹

Effective on and after January 1, 1936

UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE,
OFFICE OF THE SECRETARY,
Washington, D. C., September 23, 1935.

Under authority conferred by law upon the Secretary of Agriculture, the regulations governing the importation of domestic livestock and other animals into the United States from all countries except Mexico (B. A. I. Order 352) dated June 7, 1935, and effective on and after August 1, 1935, are hereby amended in the following particulars:

Regulation 6 is amended to read as follows:

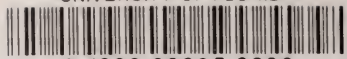
Tuberculin and Bang's-Disease Tests for Cattle

REGULATION 6. Paragraph 1. All cattle offered for importation into the United States from countries other than Mexico,¹ except those for immediate slaughter, shall be accompanied by a satisfactory tuberculin-test certificate of an official veterinarian of the national government of the country of origin: *Provided*, That the testing of cattle from Canada shall be governed by the regulations hereinafter provided for that specific country: *And provided further*, That in the case of cattle offered for importation from the Channel Islands the tuberculin-test certificate shall be that of the official veterinarian of the island from which such cattle were shipped. A subsequent tuberculin test of cattle, other than those for immediate slaughter, from any part of the world except Canada, Mexico,² and the Channel Islands shall be made by an inspector at the port of entry during the last 10 days of the quarantine period as specified in regulation 11. Tuberculin tests at ports of entry may be applied by one or more of the methods approved by the Chief of Bureau.

Par. 2. All cattle 6 months old or more offered for importation into the United States from countries other than Mexico—except cattle for immediate slaughter, all steers and spayed heifers, and cattle for grazing or feeding purposes which are not of a dairy or breeding type—shall be subject to the requirements of either paragraph (a) or (b) following:

(a) Said cattle shall be accompanied by a certificate of an official veterinarian of the national government of the country of origin showing that the animals were subjected to a blood test for Bang's disease (infectious abortion), with negative results, within 60 days of the date of their exportation: *Provided*, That in the case of cattle from the Channel Islands the certificate shall be that of the official veterinarian of the island from which such cattle were shipped and in the instance of cattle from Canada the certificate shall be issued or endorsed by a salaried veterinarian of the Canadian Government. The herein-described certificate shall give the date and place of testing, names of the consignor and consignee, and a description of the cattle, with breed, ages, and markings; or

¹ Importations from Mexico are governed by special regulations contained in another order of this Department.



(b) In special cases and upon permission first obtained from the Chief of Bureau, said cattle unaccompanied by a certificate as provided in paragraph (a) of this regulation may be quarantined and tested at the port of entry for Bang's disease (infectious abortion) by such method as may be approved by the Chief of Bureau, and those failing to pass said test shall be refused entry and unless returned to the country of origin shall be disposed of as provided by section 8 of the act of August 30, 1890.

Regulation 22 is amended by the addition of the following paragraph:

Par. 5. Cattle from the Royal Agricultural Winter Fair.—Cattle from the United States which have been exhibited at the Royal Agricultural Winter Fair, at Toronto, Ontario, and have not been in Canada in excess of 30 days, may be returned to the United States within a period of 10 days from the close of said fair without the certificates specified in this regulation: *Provided*, They are accompanied by copies of the tuberculin-test certificates which were accepted by the Canadian authorities at the time of entry into Canada; *And provided further*, That they are accompanied by a signed statement of the shipper or his agent to the effect that the cattle presented for entry are the identical cattle covered by the said tuberculin-test certificates and showing the date on which the cattle entered Canada, and that they were shipped direct from the Canadian port of entry to the said fair and returned therefrom direct to the United States port of entry. When especially ordered by the Chief of Bureau the provisions of this paragraph may be extended to include cattle exhibited at other recognized expositions in Canada.

This amendment, which is designated as Amendment 1 to B. A. I. Order 352, shall be effective on and after January 1, 1936.

Done at Washington this 23d day of September, 1935.

Witness my hand and the seal of the Department of Agriculture.



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Acting Secretary of Agriculture.